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FM AMEMBASSY YAOUNDE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 226

INFO AMEMBASSY SEOUL

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

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AMEMBASSY FORT LAMY

AMEMBASSY BANGUI

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E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR CAM KN KS

SUBJECT: FIRST NOOTH KOREAN AMBASSADOR ACCREDITED

1. RI DJA KYEUNG, FIRST DPRK AMBASSADOR TO CAMEROON, PRESENTED HIS CREDENTIALS TO PRESIDENT AHIDJO ON MARCH 12. AHIDJO, IN RECEIVING CREDENTIALS, NOTED PROGRESS TOWARD REUNIFICATION MADE BY NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA AND SAID THAT, WITH PEACE IN

VIETNAM NOW UNDERWAY, MAIN PROBLEM FACING WORLD SOCIETY WAS

MIDDLE EASTERN QUESTION.

2. SOUTH KOREAN EMBASSY ADVISES THAT SEOUL HAS NOT YET TAKEN COGNIZANCE OF THIS DEVELOPMENT.

3. COMMENT: AFTER FAILING TO PERSUADE CAMEROONIANS TO DEFER ESTABLISHMENT OF RESIDENT DPRK EMBASSY, ROK'S HAD LET IT BE KNOWN THEIR AMBASSADOR WOULD REMAIN ONNAKENE AS LONG AS NORTH KOREANS
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REPRESENTED AT CHARGE LEVEL. DELAY IN ARRIVAL OF AMBASSADOR
(RECOGNITION EXTENDED LAST MARCH) HOWEVER HAS BEEN THOUGHT
NORTH KOREAN FAULT RATHER THAN CAMEROONIAN. PERHAPS TO
DEMONSTRATE THEIR PIQUE, OR ELSE PERHAPS TO ASSUAGE SOUTH
KOREANS, CAMEROONIANS DENIED DPRK AMBASSADOR PARTICIPATION
IN WEEK- LONG VISIT TO DPRK GOODWILL MISSION LED BY VICE- MINISTER
OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS KIM RYON TAIK. AMBASSADOR- DESIGNATE ARRIVED
IN TOWN MARCH 3, THE GOODWILL MISSION MARCH 6. MISSION LEFT
ON MARCH 12, DAY THAT AMBASSADOR PRESENTED CREDENTIALS.
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